Miss Elizabeth Ann Ross

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Ross, Jr. of Pelahatchie, Mississippi, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Ottis Eugene Mims, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Mims, of Appomattox, Virginia.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Ross, Sr. of Pelahatchie and Mrs. O. E. Batson and the late Mr. Batson of Wiggins.

Grandparents of the prospective bridegroom are the late Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mims, of Plaquemine, Louisiana, and Mrs. Nora Bezet and the late Mr. Bezet, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Miss Ross graduated with honors from Pelahatchie Attendance Center where she participated in various clubs, was a cheerleader, and selected as a member of the Hall of Fame. She is a 1972 graduate of Mississippi State University where she earned a B.S. degree in Elementary Education. While attending Mississippi State she served on the Student Union Fine Arts committee and the Committee of 82. She was a member of the Phi Mu Sorority, serving in the positions of treasurer and president. Miss Ross spent the summer of 1971 in South Dakota serving as a summer missionary and the summer of 1972 working with the Central Staff at Camp Merri-Mac located in Black Mountain, North Carolina. She is presently attending Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas where she is seeking a Master of Religious Education degree.

Mr. Mims is a graduate of Appomattox County High School and a 1972 graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University where he earned a B.A. degree in Political Science. While attending Virginia Tech he was a member of the Virginia Tech Corps of Cadets, serving in the position of 1st Lieutenant of Company C, 1st Battalion. He was the editor of the Corps newspaper his senior year and was a member of the Sash and Saber Society. He was a member of the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship serving as president his senior year. For the past two summers he has served as Youth Director at the Liberty Baptist Church in Appomattox. He is currently attending Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. He is in the School of Theology seeking the Master of Divinity degree in Theology.

The wedding will be held on Saturday, June 2, at 4 p.m. at the Pelahatchie Baptist Church. Officiating ministers will be the Rev. Bob Maddux, pastor, and Dr. T. D. Lea, pastor of Hunter Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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Parties Continue Honoring Bride-Elect

Miss Jane Beverly Wilson, whose marriage to Edward Scott Wilkerson will be an event of 7:30 o'clock the evening of April 7, in Memorial United Methodist Church in Appomattox, was honored with the first of a series of prenuptial parties Friday evening, March 2, when Mrs. Ed Blackwell of Appomattox, Mrs. Clinton Childress and Mrs. Bob Pugh of Darlington Heights, entertained with a dinner at The Niblick, Lynchburg, Va.

There was a corsage and a gift of crystal for the honored guest and those present included Mrs. John Hannon Wilson of Appomattox, mother of the bride-elect; Mrs. Walter Clyde Wilkerson, mother of the bridegroom, and a group of friends of the hostesses and Miss Wilson.

Many parties are being given for Miss Wilson before her marriage. Mr. Wilkerson is sharing honors at late afternoon and evening events.

Miss Patricia Cheatham, Mrs. Jerry Gallagher, Mrs. Jerry Paulette, Mrs. Ralph Viar and Mrs. Carroll Downey, all of Lynchburg, entertained last week with a shower and party at the Brookville Ruritan Club honoring the bride-elect.

Guests present were a group of relatives and friends of the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Wilkerson, mother of the bridegroom.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Phillip H. Casey of 1066 Timberlake Drive were hosts for a dinner entertaining at their home honoring Miss Wilson and Mr. Wilkerson.

Among guests from out of town present for the party were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip H. Casey Jr. of Greenville, N. C., son and daughter-in-law of the hosts, and others invited were a group of contemporaries of the honored couple.

TOGA FIRE DEPARTMENT TO HAVE DANCE SAT.

The Toga Volunteer Fire Department, located near the Appomattox - Buckingham County line, will sponsor a dance on Saturday night, March 17th from 9:00 p.m. until 12 midnight. The dance iwll be held at the Buckingham Veteran's Hall near Buckingham.

Proceeds will go to benefit the Toga Volunteer Fire Department.

Society News

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Mr. Gordon Staples has returned to his home after spending two weeks in the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

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Mrs. Ralph Coleman of Lynchburg, Mrs. Red Coleman, Mrs. Harry Johnson and Mrs. G. L. Doss spent the week end in Annandale and Arlington. They visited Mrs. Bob Montgomery of Annandale and Mrs. Eddie Barron of Arlington.

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Mr. Abner Scruggs has returned to his home after undergoing surgery at Southside Community Hospital in Farmville.

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Byron Babcock of Virginia Beach spent the past week end with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Babcock.

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Mrs. Hilda Shrock is a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. David Jones and family will spend Sunday in Richmond with their daughter, Patsy, who is a student at Smithdeal-Massey Business College. They will be celebrating Patsy's birthday.

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Mrs. Lila Thomas is a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

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Miss Betsy Jones and Miss Wendy Apfelbaum, students at Radford College, spent Tuesday in Appomattox with Miss Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. David Jones.

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Mrs. James Hedrick is a patient in the Lynchburg General Hospital.

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Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ferguson during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Marie Ferguson, Judy and Jane, all of Lynchburg, Mrs. Dorothy Garrett, Mrs. Florence Amos and Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Ferguson.

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We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Nita Meadows, the sister of Mrs. Joe Meadows. We extend our sympathy.

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Miss Susan Bingham is a patient at Virginia Baptist Hospital where she underwent surgery Tuesday morning.

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Miss Betsy Jones and Miss Wendy Apfelbaum, students at Radford College, will be spending Spring Vacation at the home of Miss Apfelbaum in Searsdale, New York. Miss Jones of Appomattox is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. David Jones.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Holland spent the week end with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Glen Morris, at Virginia Beach.

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Mrs. J. E. Sears is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. james A. Powsers, in Lynchburg.

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USDC

U. D. C. will meet Thursday evening, March 15 at 7:30 at the Appomattox County Library. The hostesses will be Mrs. Len Childers, Mrs. Raymond Godsey, Mrs. Tilden Lee, and Mrs. William Smith.

4-H TV Program To Start March 31

4-H members in Appomattox will be watching a new 4-H T.V. Series this year. Beginning Saturday, March 31, a series of six T. V. programs will be shown over Channel 7 WDBJ from 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. One show will be featured each Saturday until the final program May 5.

The six half hour shows will feature the "Mulligan Stew", a rock group of boys and girls who sing and promote good food and good nutrition. The Mulligan Stew's, through their roles as agents for good nutrition, explain the four basic food groups, how these foods effect your body, and why they are important to you. Episodes with the Mulligan Stew gang include a snow mobile race, a circus where all the entertainers have fallen asleep, a space flight to Mars, and an around the world chase of the Flim Flam Man.

Appomattox 4-Hers in the 4th, 5th, and 6th grades have received colorful Mulligan Stew booklets to help them understand the program. Don't forget to watch - March 31 - 9:00 a.m. - Channel 7 - when the Mulligan Stew turns on Good Nutrition.

Miss Brenda Joyce Honaker

Announce Engagement

Mrs. Raymond Honaker, of Caldwell, West Virginia announces the engagement of her daughter, Brenda Joyce, to Rickey Ray Hackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Hackett, Jr., of Dillwyn, Virginia.

Miss Honaker is a graduate of Lewisburg High School, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Mr. Hackett is a graduate of Holmes Academy of Greenville, South Carolina. The couple are now both Seniors at Holmes Theological Seminary in Greenville, South Carolina.

A June 30th wedding is planned.

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Miss Ella Victoria Elder

Announce Engagement

and Mrs. John Thomas Elder of Pamplin, Virginia announce the engagement of their daughter, Ella Victoria, to Driscoll Trent, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sidney of Farmville, Virginia.

Elder is a graduate of Appomattox County High and is presently employed at Stackpole Components pany in Farmville, Virginia.

Trent is a graduate of Prince Edward Academy, and has ed four years in the Air Force, and is presently employed CO.

date has been set.

OMOBILE VISIT DATE OR APRIL 3

America Red Cross obile will be in Appoon Tuesday, April 3rd, noon until 6:00 p.m. at erty Baptist Church.

Bloodmobile is now quarterly visits to ttox County and this the last visit of the ar. A total of 96 units d is needed in order for nty to reach 100% of ta. There will be no visits!

he past eight or nine ppomattox County has ded to reach the 100% the Bloodmobile quota. ast now to get out on and donate a unit of ing blood and at the me keep Appomattox 100%.

FIREMEN ANSWERED ONE CALL LAST WEEK

During the week of March 5th the Appomattox Volunteer Fire Department responded to only one call.

On March 9th at 7:00 p.m. two trucks and eleven firemen responded to a car fire in the town of Appomattox.

FEED GRAIN WHEAT SIGN UP ENDS FRIDAY MARCH 16

According to James R. Ford, Jr., Chairman of the Appomattox County ASCS Office, farmers with feed grain bases and/or wheat allotments have until Friday, March 16 to sign up for participation in the 1973 farm programs for these crops.

Mr. Ford said feed grain and wheat farmers who have not enrolled should not let the March 16 deadline pass before checking with the ASCS office.

DATE SET FOR PRE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

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ant for parents to register children on the scheduled date at the school they will attend. Please get in touch with the principal if for some reason you child will not enter school this fall.

The child's health record (immunization and disease history) and his/her official **State birth certificate** (not to be confused with the hospital certificate) are **requested** at the time of registration.

As a result of the 1972 session of the General Assembly, a physical examination is required of all children entering the public schools for the first time. The form was mailed to parents to be taken to doctor or Health Department Clinic personnel at the time of examination. It is to be brought to school on the day of registration or as soon thereafter as possible. A statement from a physician to the effect that he does not consider the smallpox vaccination necessary may be presented if a parent does not wish for their child to receive the smallpox vaccination. Children entering school for the first time are required to have the following Immunizations: Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping Cough, Poliomyelitis, Measles and Rubella.

Health Clinics sponsored by the County Health Department will be scheduled for those children who do not visit a private physician.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Watson of Appomattox announces the birth of a son, Joseph S. Watson, Jr., born March 5, weighing 8 lbs 6 ozs., at Virginia Baptist Hospital. They are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Joe age, 1½.

PAMPLIN P-T A WILL MEET TUESDAY

The Pamplin Elementary School P-TA meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 20th at the school. An Executive Board meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m., prior to the regular meeting.

Frank Coffey, Director, and the ACHS Band will present a musical program. Among the selections will be "Liberty Belle" by John Phillip Fousa, "Fantasy For Band" by Frank Erickson and "S.I.B.A." by R. B. Hall.

People in the community are invited to attend.

Personals

Mrs. Lila Thomas who has been a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital returned home Tuesday.

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Mrs. Howlette B Martin, Mrs. Elizabeth Wolfrom, Mrs. Jessie Carwile and Mrs. Rachel Lawson of Appomattox and Mrs. Frances Carson, Miss Edna Johnson, Mrs. Mary Petty - John and Mrs. Louise Young of Lynchburg motored to Richmond Sunday where they attended a "Get together" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Baird. The Bairds had issued invitations to others who will spend Easter week in Spain.

Howlette B. Martin, Sr. and Howlette B. Martin, Jr., accompanied the group to Richmond.

Mrs. Virginia Cralle Saunders of Richmond will be a member of the tour group. She is the daughter of Mrs. C. C. Cralle of this place.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. (Dick) Franklin have returned from Virginia Beach where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Wilson, Jr. The Wilsons have announced the birth of a daughter, Amy Dawn, born March 6 in the Virginia Beach Hospital.

The paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson live at Virginia Beach.

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Many relatives and friends visited Mrs. Etta Martin Harvey on Monday when she celebrated her 83rd birthday. She was the recipient of many gifts, flowers and cards.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ty Bollinger and Mrs. Mary F. Phelps spent the week end in Richmond as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wayne Phelps. While there they heard the, Old Country Music program and saw the Old Dominion Barn Dance at the provillion.

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The Tuesday evening Bridge Club enjoyed a quail dinner at the home of Mrs. B. G. Anderson this week. Members of the club attending were Mesdames R. W. Stanley, Clyde G. O'Brien D. E. Caldwell, Jr. Calvin H. Robinson, T. DeWitt Evans, H. B. Pack, S.C. Booth and Rachel F. Lawson,

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Amy Kerr, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sam Kerr, has been confined to her home for several weeks recovering from an illness. Her condition is reported to be much improved at this time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tucker T. Cheatham of Lynchburg are now in the process of moving in James McDearmon home which they recently purchased. This attractive home is located on W. Lee-Grant AVenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren Scruggs have moved to their recently acquired home in Lynchburg on New Hampshire avenue. Their children, Patty Sue and Danny are now satisfactorily recovering from serious injuries suffered in an automobile accident several weeks ago.

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Hon. Watkins M. Abbitt made a business trip to Washinton Tuesday.

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H. Wilson Goill recently underwent an operation at the Lynchburg General Hospital.

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APPOMATTOX EXTENSION CLUB TO MEET MARCH 20th

The Appomattox Homemakers Extension Club will meet on March 20th in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Scruggs at 10:00 a.m.

Mrs. Thelma Martin will be in charge of the program for the meeting. All members are urged to attend.

The best way to earn a rest is to complete your work.

Girl Scout Week March 10-17

"Today's Vision . . . Tomorrow's World" is the new National theme of Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. for the triennium 1973-75. To over four million girls, men, and women in Girl Scouting across the nation, this theme is not just words on a piece of paper, a banner, or a poster. To them it exemplifies Girl Scouting as it has been lived and carried out for the past sixty-one years.

Girl Scouting is a youth movement "dedicated to the purpose of inspiring girls with the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism, and service, that they may become happy and resourceful citizens" Sounds 'square' to you? Well, don't you believe it! What's square about wallowing knee-deep in mud or garbage . . . cleaning up the mess other people have left behind; then turning around and planting beds of flowers, shrubs, or trees where mounds of rubbish once existed. And don't think for one minute that the girls actually enjoy picking up after others. Why should they? The Scouts are more than willing to take part in beautification projects, and they do a very great deal of this all across the country. But all along our highways, rivers, and streets the messy eyesores are still there. So, like good sports, they and many other youth organizations pitch in and clean up again and again.

A few years back the Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. instigated their own Eco-Action program. Through this program they have conducted ecological-workshops, studied environmental education with Foresters and Parks Services officials, and worked hand-in-hand with other agencies.

They feel that education is the key to helping with the present day situation so that tomorrow will be a better, cleaner world. In their troops they are conducting programs on pollution, preservation of wildlife, land-fill problems, and almost anything that concerns the ecological crisis.

As members of the United Way, Girl Scouts are being asked more and more to prove themselves and their worth to the man on the street who gives his hard-earned money that helps to support the local Girl Scout Council. Well . . . take away these four million hard-working, community - minded people all across the country, and where will you be? What will happen to the 20,000 who are members of the Virginia Skyline Girl Scout Council . . your local council? We hate to think about it!

The Girl Scouts don't do too much bragging about the many services they render to their communities. Perhaps they should, but that just isn't their way. Quietly and with determination they get in and do the things that need doing. They care about people, they are concerned about today's problems, and they DO something about it all. And best of all, through this fine educational program, these young girls of today are learning to be the responsible young women in your community tomorrow.

They do indeed, personify their new triennium theme . . . "Today's Vision . . . Tomorrow's World."

Photo by Shearer B. Robertson

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliott Carwile, Sr.

Celebrates 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliott Carwile, Sr. of Pamplin celebrated their Golden Anniversary on Sunday afternoon, March 4, 1973, when they were honored with a reception at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Carwile, Jr. Also serving as host and hostess were their son, Frank H. Carwile, and daughter, Mrs. Claude Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Carwile were married March 3, 1923 in the Elon Baptist Parsonage in Pamplin.

They were also entertained with a surprise dinner party at the Parkway Restaurant on Saturday evening, March 3rd.

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